

# FOURTH OF JULY

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#### A Close Call.

An automobile accident, in which  
five young people had a very narrow  
escape from death, occurred Wednes-  
day afternoon about 3:00 o'clock,  
when the car, carrying the party,  
backed into the deep creek near the  
D. H. Swope place.

The car was a Buick Four, belong-  
ing to John Heck. In the car were  
Clarence Heck, Ray Meyer and Misses  
Dale Lansdown, Ruth DeBord and  
Hazel Dunkel. Out for a little ride,  
they decided to turn north of the  
Swope bridge and return to town.  
Ray Meyer was driving. While back-  
ing to turn, the car went back over  
the bank backwards into a deep hole,  
that was partly concealed by weeds,  
and had been washed out by an eddy  
of the current. The car turned com-  
pletely over endwise, falling bottom  
side up squarely in the bottom of the  
hole. The depth of this hole is about  
28 feet, and all excepting one of the  
occupants were under the car when  
it reached the bottom, where they  
were pinned until help arrived. One  
of the young ladies jumped, falling  
into a tree. Ray Meyer suffered a  
broken arm and a cut on the face.  
The other occupants were more or  
less bruised and scratched, but not  
seriously.

When one sees the depth of the  
hole, and the wrecked condition of  
the car, he wonders how these young  
folks could escape being killed.—  
News-Jeffersonian May 30, 1919.

—W. C. Froud, M. D., Eye, Ear,  
Throat and Nose Specialist. Office,  
Physicians and Surgeons' Building,  
7th and Francis Sts., St. Joseph, Mo.

—Implements, Implements—Don't  
forget to tell me to save you that  
New Departure Cultivator, Jenny  
Lind, Fast Mail, or the old reliable  
New Departure Tongueless. I have  
some carried over Plows and Cultiva-  
tors at bargain prices. See me.  
D. M. MARTIN.

#### EDUCATIONAL COLUMN.

By Alberta Green-Murphy, County  
Supt. of Public Schools.

The source and foundation of the  
troubles, difficulties and unhappiness  
of the individual, the family, the na-  
tion and the race is IGNORANCE—the  
greatest enemy of mankind. The  
microbes of fear, hate, envy, greed,  
pride, and the bitter rivalries of our  
individual, social, political, religious  
and economic life are bred in its  
murky and infectious atmosphere.

Man's mental and spiritual horizon  
is overhung by its black pall, his ca-  
pacities and possibilities are circumscribed  
with its somber shadows—even  
the light, liberty and very joy of  
existence are quenched by it.

What is the sovereign cure of the  
ills of mankind? EDUCATION. Not  
merely the education of the intellect;  
this is not enough—but education in  
its highest, broadest, truest sense;  
mental and spiritual development;  
self-knowledge; the apprehension of  
truth and the realities of life. What  
are we doing in Holt county to over-  
throw this giant of ignorance? Re-  
member that great things can be done  
by co-operation and concerted effort.

Through the club work we are try-  
ing to lead the children and young  
people to see the possibilities of this  
four-fold training; the four-leafed  
shamrock with its four H's is our em-  
blem. We wish to train and cultivate  
the Heart, Head, Hand and Health  
of each individual.

On Thursday, May 29, Miss De-  
Vault and the Superintendent were  
very hospitably entertained to dinner  
in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clayte  
Schaeffer. In the afternoon a very  
promising and interesting Canning  
Club was organized with twelve mem-  
bers. Miss Dollie Quick was elected  
president; Miss Vernal Gore, vice-  
president, and Miss Edith Elder, sec-  
retary. The members are to meet  
June 5 to make their caps and aprons,  
and to have a demonstration of the  
method of cold-pack canning, at which  
time each girl will put up one can of  
fruit or vegetables.

The regular June Teachers Examina-  
tion will be held this Friday and  
Saturday in the Oregon High School  
building.

—T. A. Long, Veterinary.

#### NOTICE.

All persons indebted to me on ac-  
count should call and settle same  
either by cash or note before June  
15th. My books must be closed with-  
out delay. DR. W. J. FINDLEY.

#### Raspberries

Raspberries are looking fine. They  
will begin to ripen about the 15th of  
June. Write or phone your order, or  
come out and take a look at a real  
raspberry field. You can get one or  
twenty cases, or more if you want  
them. Also Eldorado blackberries in  
season. SEIB, CARSON.

#### On Furlough.

We were favored with a delightful  
call from Lieut. Chas. E. Munn, for-  
merly of Company L, but now of the  
5th Regular Army. He has had a  
wide field of experience since going  
across and most of the time has been  
on special detail duty, one being that  
of regimental gas officer, and in this  
line of duty it was up to him to  
ascertain in No Man's Land where a  
gas attack was expected, and re-  
port to headquarters the kind of gas,  
if any, that was headed towards the  
American lines. He was, of course,  
accompanied by a squad of men. He  
saw strenuous service and was badly  
gassed in the Argonne drive. After  
reconvalescing, he was on his way to  
the final drive on Metz when the ar-  
mistice was signed.

Following the signing of the ar-  
mistice, Lieutenant Munn was transferred  
to a Regiment of the 5th Division  
and commanded a company with the  
army of occupation, and was in Lux-  
emburg, which, he says, is a beauti-  
ful place, as is all that part of Ger-  
many. The contrast between the de-  
vastated region of northern France and  
the prosperous appearing, well kept  
parts of Germany he visited is very  
striking. The Germans, he says, were  
very courteous, and evidently did their  
best to "make a hit" with the Amer-  
icans.

An attack of the flu sent the Lieut-  
enant to the hospital in Luxemburg.  
He was later transferred to Toul,  
and from there sent to the U. S., sail-  
ing from France April 8th.

The Germans surrendered just in  
time, says Lieut. Munn, to escape  
reaping the full harvest of their  
starting the gas warfare. The United  
States and other Allied armies were  
prepared to use a very deadly gas and  
in addition, a substance called ther-  
mite that was to be sent into the  
German lines in shells, which explod-  
ing, would have showered the Huns  
with particles whose temperature is  
3,000 degrees Fahr. A drop of ther-  
mite would burn a hole through any  
substance, even steel. No gas mask  
would offer protection, and a cer-  
tain, terrible death was to have been  
the fate of any living thing that it  
touched.

Lieutenant Munn was accompanied  
by his wife, and they were the guests  
of her brother, Will Bragg and fam-  
ily. They were here Decoration Day,  
and the Lieutenant said he was great-  
ly impressed with the beautiful and  
impressive ceremonies conducted by  
Meyer Post. At the expiration of his  
leave of absence, he will report for  
duty at St. Louis, but where he will  
be sent, or what duty he will be as-  
signed, he has no idea, but he has  
heard indirectly that the 5th Army is  
to be assigned to duty in the Panama  
Zone.

#### After Thirty Years.

Cy. Henry and daughter, Miss  
Pearl, of Paradise, Kansas, are visit-  
ing here called by the serious sickness  
of his sister, Mrs. Charlotte Curtis,  
who received a stroke of paralysis,  
May 20, and at this writing is still  
in a critical condition. This is Cy's  
first visit back to the old home in 30  
years, and although in his 73d year,  
he does not seem much changed in  
appearance and looks like a man of  
not more than 50 years. He is also  
a brother of J. H. Henry, of Clay  
township.

#### Our Postoffice Business.

The postoffice is a fair barometer  
of the business done by a town or com-  
munity, and the late weighing of the  
mails at this office tells a splendid  
story of the amount of mail handled  
at the Oregon postoffice, and one can  
hardly believe that Postmaster Earl  
Wilson and Deputy Byron Murray  
handled forty tons of mail matter,  
during the past fifteen weeks, ending  
June 1. This weighing is done all over  
the United States, as a basis for pay-  
ment to railroads for carrying the mail,  
and does not include the local mail  
handled. With this vast amount of all  
classes of mail handled it is wonderful  
the few errors that occur, and when  
these do occur it is estimated by the  
postal authorities that 97 per cent of  
these errors are traceable to the send-  
ers' imperfect address or bad wrap-  
ping. A package or a letter should  
be addressed plainly and legible.

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#### PAID HOMAGE TO THE DEAD.

Continued From Page 1.

across the sea to the little mounds of  
earth with a tiny white cross at one  
end, doing its best to remain upright  
in the freshly turned earth—silent re-  
minders of Vauquois Hill, Varennes,  
Chapentry, Very, Baulny, Essey,  
Pannes, Evessin, Banny, Stenay, St.  
Mihiel and Barancourt.

"America" was then sung by the  
audience, and Bugler Albert Kunkel  
sounded "Taps," and the decoration  
of graves was then proceeded with.  
There were 130 graves marked this  
year, by Meyer Post with 12x16 Amer-  
ican flags, by Sr. Vice Jacob King,  
and if any grave was passed it was  
because of the indifference on the  
part of the one selected for that pur-  
pose, who had been requested to do  
so by Commander Kunkel of the Sons  
of Veterans; or because of failure of  
interested parties to notify Meyer  
Post.

There were seven new made graves,  
since May 30, 1918. These were:

E. W. Headley, Hale's M. S. M.  
Cav., died June 16, 1918.  
G. W. Cummins, 54th Ohio Inf.,  
died July 4, 1918.  
Hugh Montgomery, 27th Ohio Inf.,  
died December 3, 1918.  
Hiram Denny, 5th Illinois Cav.,  
died May 18, 1919.  
Walter Sommer, World War, died  
November 23, 1918.  
Lloyd Flinn, World War, died Oc-  
tober 10, 1918.  
Ray Olin Efner, World War, 46th  
U. S. Inf., died August 6, 1918.  
Martin Smith, 4th M. S. M. Cav.,  
died March 29, 1919.

The veterans of the Civil War an-  
swering roll call on this 1919 Decora-  
tion Day, were:

Daniel Zachman, age 79.  
F. S. Morgan, 80.  
T. D. Roberts, 74.  
Robert Montgomery, 81.  
D. P. Dobyns, 74.  
Jacob King, 79.  
Earl Cooper, 72.  
Ben F. Morgan, 76.  
Clint Leverich, 71.  
Charles Moser, 73.  
Wm. M. Morris, 75.  
E. G. Smith, 77.  
Phil Rush, 78.  
Sam Hughes, 73.  
Fred Mark, 81.  
Jno. Planalp, 78.  
Henry E. Piet, 76.  
Levi Lynch, 77.  
F. S. Bostock, 78.  
Frank Sutton, 74.  
Edgar Leach, 76.

The ranks are rapidly thinning and  
it will not be many years, when there  
will be no veterans of the Civil War  
seen in line on Decoration Day.

—Pure Bred Barred Rock Eggs,  
from specially selected laying strains;  
Eggs all perfect, \$5.00 per 100;  
\$3.00 for 50, or \$1.00 per setting of 15  
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Both Phones Oregon, Mo.

—See G. S. Lukens for some bargains  
in some good Holt county farms.

—Just what you have been waiting  
for. Acan vas shoe with pneumatic  
heel and tire-tread sole. Uppers of  
heavy brown duck—the kind the gov-  
ernment uses for mail bags. Will not  
stretch or crack. Then there's an in-  
ner lining of lig' ter duck—that means  
extra strength, comfort and coolness.  
And leather-topped fibre inner soles  
to insulate—prevent the drawing of  
the feet, so common to rubber-sole  
shoes of ordinary make. Heel, sole  
and upper—in fact, every part of the  
shoe—are welded together under a  
heavy pressure of live steam. It makes  
a shoe that will not rip, split or come  
apart. The sole is of tire-tread com-  
position. It is made tough and pliable  
by the same process used in making  
auto tires. And no matter how hard  
you try, you'll find it almost impos-  
sible to wear them out. Call for the  
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men's, \$2.50 and \$3.00. C. W. KING.

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#### HOME BUREAU NOTES.

Cora Ellen DeVault,  
Emergency Home Demonstration Agt.

A canning club was organized at  
the home of Mrs. Clate Schaeffer,  
Thursday, May 29. The members are  
Dollie Quick, president; Vernal Gore,  
vice president; Edith Elder, secretary;  
Milder Hopper, Naomi Payne, Nellie  
Wilkes, Lillian Elder, Lorene Hopper,  
Maud Grimes, Thelma Grimes, Audrey  
Gore, Cleda McKeel, Ida Gore and  
Verba McKeel. The club will meet  
June 5, at Mrs. Schaeffer's, where a  
demonstration in canning with the  
steam pressure cooker and with a  
water bath will be given.

The first of a series of four demon-  
strations in Home Nursing was given  
in Craig, Tuesday, May 27, by the  
Home Demonstration Agent. The  
other three will be given June 3, 10  
and 17.

Miss Florine E. Fate, district club  
leader, was in Holt county, June 2.  
Prizes for club projects were decided  
upon. A list of these will be sent to  
each club president.

#### FLIES.

The flies belong to the insect fam-  
ily that goes by the name of diptera,  
meaning two winged.

There have been over 1,500 differ-  
ent species found in the United States.  
Among the most common of them are  
the house fly, the blow fly, gadflies,  
and bat flies. The head of the fly is  
small. It has two very large eyes on  
the side of its head and situated al-  
most on top so it can see in all di-  
rections at once. The reason it is so  
seen so very well is because each eye is

#### Both Phones

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made of lots of little eyes. There be-  
ing as many as 4,000 single eyes in  
one eye.

The mouth is used for piercing and  
sucking. We always say that the fly  
has six legs but the two front ones  
are really a second pair of wings,  
grown to slender thread-like ap-  
pendages, used by the fly for balancers.

The feet are made so the fly can  
walk on smooth hard surfaces with  
his back down. They will eat almost  
any food from the daintiest of food  
to the worst filth.

The eggs which hatch in one day  
are deposited in refuse. It takes them  
ten to fourteen days before they are  
full grown.

You should swat every fly you see  
or trap everyone you see and every-  
body in the community should help.

ROBERT MARKT,

Sixth Grade, Woods School.

—You will find a large stock of  
Paris Green, London Purple and Ar-  
senate of Lead at Phillips' Drug Store.